

09/158,592, filed September 22, 1998, entitled "Method and System for Transient Key Digital Time Stamps," now issued as U.S. Patent Number US 6,381,696 B1, and to provisional application No. 60/059,455, filed September 22, 1997, entitled "Method and System for Transient Key Digital Time Stamps." This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) from U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/200,328, filed April 28, 2000, entitled "System and Method for Graphical Indicia for the Certification of Records," and from U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/200,372, filed April 28, 2000, entitled "System and Method for Widely Witnessed Proof of Time," the entirety of which are herein incorporated by reference.